

U.S. Department of Justice

Washington, DC 20530

Supplemental Statement**Pursuant to the Foreign Agents Registration Act of 1938, as amended**For Six Month Period Ending April 30, 2012

(Insert date)

I - REGISTRANT

1. (a) Name of Registrant

Alston & Bird

(b) Registration No.

5549

(c) Business Address(es) of Registrant

950 F Street, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004

2. Has there been a change in the information previously furnished in connection with the following?

(a) If an individual:

(1) Residence address(es) Yes ☐ No ☐(2) Citizenship Yes ☐ No ☐(3) Occupation Yes ☐ No ☐

(b) If an organization:

(1) Name Yes ☐ No ☒(2) Ownership or control Yes ☐ No ☒(3) Branch offices Yes ☐ No ☒

(c) Explain fully all changes, if any, indicated in Items (a) and (b) above.

N/A

IF THE REGISTRANT IS AN INDIVIDUAL, OMIT RESPONSE TO ITEMS 3, 4, AND 5(a).3. If you have previously filed Exhibit C¹, state whether any changes therein have occurred during this 6 month reporting period.Yes ☐ No ☒If yes, have you filed an amendment to the Exhibit C? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

¹ The Exhibit C, for which no printed form is provided, consists of a true copy of the charter, articles of incorporation, association, and by laws of a registrant that is an organization. (A waiver of the requirement to file an Exhibit C may be obtained for good cause upon written application to the Assistant Attorney General, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, Washington, DC 20530.)

4. (a) Have any persons ceased acting as partners, officers, directors or similar officials of the registrant during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position	Date Connection Ended
N/A	N/A	N/A

(b) Have any persons become partners, officers, directors or similar officials during this 6 month reporting period?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

5. (a) Has any person named in Item 4(b) rendered services directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, identify each such person and describe the service rendered.

N/A

(b) During this six month reporting period, has the registrant hired as employees or in any other capacity, any persons who rendered or will render services to the registrant directly in furtherance of the interests of any foreign principal(s) in other than a clerical or secretarial, or in a related or similar capacity? Yes ☐ No ☒

Name	Residence Address	Citizenship	Position	Date Assumed
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(c) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their employment or connection with the registrant during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Date Terminated
N/A	N/A	N/A

(d) Have any employees or individuals, who have filed a short form registration statement, terminated their connection with any foreign principal during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Name	Position or Connection	Foreign Principal	Date Terminated
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

6. Have short form registration statements been filed by all of the persons named in Items 5(a) and 5(b) of the supplemental statement?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, list names of persons who have not filed the required statement.

N/A

II - FOREIGN PRINCIPAL

7. Has your connection with any foreign principal ended during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal
N/A

Date of Termination
N/A

8. Have you acquired any new foreign principal(s)² during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☒
If yes, furnish the following information:

Name and Address of Foreign Principal(s)
N/A

Date Acquired
N/A

9. In addition to those named in Items 7 and 8, if any, list foreign principal(s)² whom you continued to represent during the 6 month reporting period.

Russian Federation (through Ketchum, Inc.)
Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States

10. (a) Have you filed exhibits for the newly acquired foreign principal(s), if any, listed in Item 8?

Exhibit A³ Yes ☐ No ☐
Exhibit B⁴ Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please attach the required exhibit.

- (b) Have there been any changes in the Exhibits A and B previously filed for any foreign principal whom you represented during this six month period? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, have you filed an amendment to these exhibits? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, please attach the required amendment.

² The term "foreign principal" includes, in addition to those defined in section 1(b) of the Act, an individual organization any of whose activities are directly or indirectly supervised, directed, controlled, financed, or subsidized in whole or in major part by a foreign government, foreign political party, foreign organization or foreign individual. (See Rule 100(a)(9)). A registrant who represents more than one foreign principal is required to list in the statements he files under the Act only those principals for whom he is not entitled to claim exemption under Section 3 of the Act. (See Rule 208.)
³ The Exhibit A, which is filed on Form NSD-3 (Formerly CRM-157) sets forth the information required to be disclosed concerning each foreign principal.
⁴ The Exhibit B, which is filed on Form NSD-4 (Formerly CRM-155) sets forth the information concerning the agreement or understanding between the registrant and the foreign principal.

III - ACTIVITIES

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

Please see Attachment A

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity⁵ as defined below? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates, places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

Please see Attachment A

13. In addition to the above described activities, if any, have you engaged in activity on your own behalf which benefits your foreign principal(s)? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, describe fully.

N/A

⁵ The term "political activity" means any activity that the person engaging in believes will, or that the person intends to, in any way influence any agency or official of the Government of the United States or any section of the public within the United States with reference to formulating, adopting or changing the domestic or foreign policies of the United States or with reference to political or public interests, policies, or relations of a government of a foreign country or a foreign political party.

IV - FINANCIAL INFORMATION**14. (a) RECEIPTS-MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise? Yes ☒ No ☐

If no, explain why.

N/A

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies.⁶

Date	From Whom	Purpose	Amount
Please see Attachment B			

Total

(b) RECEIPTS - FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received, as part of a fundraising campaign⁷, any money on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, have you filed an Exhibit D to your registration? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, indicate the date the Exhibit D was filed. Date N/A

(c) RECEIPTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received any thing of value⁹ other than money from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Foreign Principal	Date Received	Thing of Value	Purpose
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

^{6, 7} A registrant is required to file an Exhibit D if he collects or receives contributions, loans, moneys, or other things of value for a foreign principal, as part of a fundraising campaign. (See Rule 201(e)).

⁸ An Exhibit D, for which no printed form is provided, sets forth an account of money collected or received as a result of a fundraising campaign and transmitted for a foreign principal.

⁹ Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks," and the like.

15. (a) DISBURSEMENTS-MONIES

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

(1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐(2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If no, explain in full detail why there were no disbursements made on behalf of any foreign principal.

N/A

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Date	To Whom	Purpose	Amount
Please see Attachment C			

Total

(b) DISBURSEMENTS-THINGS OF VALUE

During this 6 month reporting period, have you disposed of anything of value¹⁰ other than money in furtherance of or in connection with activities on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, or 9 of this statement?

Yes ☐No ☒

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Recipient	Foreign Principal	Thing of Value	Purpose
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

(c) DISBURSEMENTS-POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value¹¹ in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office?

Yes ☒No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

Date	Amount or Thing of Value	Political Organization or Candidate	Location of Event
Please see Attachment D			

^{10, 11} Things of value include but are not limited to gifts, interest free loans, expense free travel, favored stock purchases, exclusive rights, favored treatment over competitors, "kickbacks" and the like.

V - INFORMATIONAL MATERIALS

16. (a) During this 6 month reporting period, did you prepare, disseminate or cause to be disseminated any informational materials?¹²
 Yes ☐ No ☒

If Yes, go to Item 17.

- (b) If you answered No to Item 16(a), do you disseminate any material in connection with your registration?

Yes ☐ No ☒

If Yes, please forward the materials disseminated during the six month period to the Registration Unit for review.

17. Identify each such foreign principal.

N/A

18. During this 6 month reporting period, has any foreign principal established a budget or allocated a specified sum of money to finance your activities in preparing or disseminating informational materials? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal, specify amount, and indicate for what period of time.

N/A

19. During this 6 month reporting period, did your activities in preparing, disseminating or causing the dissemination of informational materials include the use of any of the following:

- ☐ Radio or TV broadcasts ☐ Magazine or newspaper ☐ Motion picture films ☐ Letters or telegrams
☐ Advertising campaigns ☐ Press releases ☐ Pamphlets or other publications ☐ Lectures or speeches
☐ Other (specify) _____

Electronic Communications

- ☐ Email
☐ Website URL(s): _____
☐ Social media websites URL(s): _____
☐ Other (specify) _____

20. During this 6 month reporting period, did you disseminate or cause to be disseminated informational materials among any of the following groups:

- ☐ Public officials ☐ Newspapers ☐ Libraries
☐ Legislators ☐ Editors ☐ Educational institutions
☐ Government agencies ☐ Civic groups or associations ☐ Nationality groups
☐ Other (specify) _____

21. What language was used in the informational materials:

- ☐ English ☐ Other (specify) _____

22. Did you file with the Registration Unit, U.S. Department of Justice a copy of each item of such informational materials disseminated or caused to be disseminated during this 6 month reporting period? Yes ☐ No ☐

23. Did you label each item of such informational materials with the statement required by Section 4(b) of the Act?

Yes ☐ No ☐

¹² The term informational materials includes any oral, visual, graphic, written, or pictorial information or matter of any kind, including that published by means of advertising, books, periodicals, newspapers, lectures, broadcasts, motion pictures, or any means or instrumentality of interstate or foreign commerce or otherwise. Informational materials disseminated by an agent of a foreign principal as part of an activity in itself exempt from registration, or an activity which by itself would not require registration, need not be filed pursuant to Section 4(b) of the Act.

VI - EXECUTION

In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 1746, the undersigned swear(s) or affirm(s) under penalty of perjury that he/she has (they have) read the information set forth in this registration statement and the attached exhibits and that he/she is (they are) familiar with the contents thereof and that such contents are in their entirety true and accurate to the best of his/her (their) knowledge and belief, except that the undersigned make(s) no representation as to truth or accuracy of the information contained in the attached Short Form Registration Statement(s), if any, insofar as such information is not within his/her (their) personal knowledge.

(Date of signature)

(Print or type name under each signature or provide electronic signature¹³)

May 30, 2012

/s/ Robert N. Driscoll, Partner

eSigned

¹³ This statement shall be signed by the individual agent, if the registrant is an individual, or by a majority of those partners, officers, directors or persons performing similar functions, if the registrant is an organization, except that the organization can, by power of attorney, authorize one or more individuals to execute this statement on its behalf.

ATTACHMENT A

11. During this 6 month reporting period, have you engaged in any activities for or rendered any services to any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, and 9 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail your activities and services:

Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States:

Senator Bob Dole:

- 12/1/11 – Letter to Central Intelligence Director, General David Petraeus, asking him to meet with TECRO Ambassador Yuan.
- 1/10/12 – Letter to “Mitt Romney for President” adviser and former Under Secretary of Defense Dov Zakheim asking him to meet with TECRO Ambassador Yuan.
- 1/10/12 – Similar letter to Romney adviser and former State Department Policy Planning Director Dr. Mitchell Reiss.
- 1/10/12 – Similar letter to Romney adviser and former Under Secretary of State Eric Edelman.
- 2/7/12 – E-mail to Romney Foreign Policy Adviser Alex Wong to ask him to meet with TECRO officials.
- 3/12/12 – Letter to “Mitt Romney for President” adviser and former MA Lt. Gov. Kerry Healey to ask her to meet with TECRO Ambassador Yuan.
- 4/4/12 – E-mail to White House Adviser Valerie Jarrett to request President/First Lady letter in support of Dragon Boat festival.
- 4/6/12 – Letter to Secretary Hillary Clinton requesting negotiation of a new diplomatic immunities agreement.
- 4/26/12 – Letter to Hogan Gidley, adviser to Republican Presidential Candidate and former Senator Rick Santorum (R-PA) to ask Gidley to meet with TECRO Ambassador Yuan.

Marshall Harris: No-reportable activities.

Russian Federation (through Ketchum, Inc.):

Alston & Bird provides analysis of contemporary US-Russia relations to Ketchum, Inc., for use by Ketchum in its engagement with the foreign principal. Analysis covers issues including economic and trade policy, arms control, energy and climate change, and general US policy toward Russia.

Participation in events such as trade/travel shows, seminars, conventions, and conferences (including the date, location and sponsor of the event):

- December 2011, travel to WTO Ministerial, Geneva, Switzerland to support Russian delegation during accession proceedings.

Contacts with U.S. Government officials and the media, where nonpolitical activities are involved:

- Contacted reporters from IHT, AFP, Inside US Trade and CNBC to arrange interviews with Russian trade and economic officials at the WTO Ministerial in Geneva

12. During this 6 month reporting period, have you on behalf of any foreign principal engaged in political activity as defined below?

Yes ☒

No ☐

If yes, identify each such foreign principal and describe in full detail all such political activity, indicating, among other things, the relations, interests and policies sought to be influenced and the means employed to achieve this purpose. If the registrant arranged, sponsored or delivered speeches, lectures or radio and TV broadcasts, give details as to dates and places of delivery, names of speakers and subject matter.

Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States:

- Same activities as listed in response to question number 11.

Russian Federation (through Ketchum, Inc.):

- No political activities were undertaken during this reporting period.

ATTACHMENT B**14. (a) RECEIPTS – MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you received from any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, and 9 of this statement, or from any other source, for or in the interests of any such foreign principal, any contributions, income or money either as compensation or otherwise?

Yes ☒No ☐

If no, explain why.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies:

Date	From Whom	Purpose	Amount
11/1/2011 – 4/30/2012	Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States	Compensation for services listed in Attachment A	\$120,000
11/1/2011 – 4/30/2012	Ketchum, Inc.	Compensation for services listed in Attachment A	\$184,486.06
		Total	\$304,486.06

ATTACHMENT C

15. (a) **DISBURSEMENTS – MONIES**

During this 6 month reporting period, have you

- (1) disbursed or expended monies in connection with activity on behalf of any foreign principal named in Items 7, 8, and 9 of this statement? Yes ☒ No ☐
- (2) transmitted monies to any such foreign principal? Yes ☐ No ☒

If no, explain in full detail why there were no disbursements made on behalf of any foreign principal.

If yes, set forth below in the required detail and separately for each foreign principal an account of such monies, including monies transmitted, if any, to each foreign principal.

Taipei Economic and Cultural Representative Office in the United States:

Date	To Whom	Purpose	Amount
11/1/2011 – 4/30/2012	Service provider	Office expenses (courier, document production and transportation)	\$110.33
12/19/2011	Justice Department	FARA filing fee	\$305.00

Russian Federation (through Ketchum, Inc.):

Date	To Whom	Purpose	Amount
11/1/2011 – 4/30/2012	Service provider	Office expenses (courier, document production and transportation); Travel	\$10,573.46
12/19/2011	Justice Department	FARA filing fee	\$305.00

ATTACHMENT D

15. (c) DISBURSEMENTS – POLITICAL CONTRIBUTIONS

During this 6 month reporting period, have you from your own funds and on your own behalf either directly or through any other person, made any contributions of money or other things of value in connection with an election to any political office, or in connection with any primary election, convention, or caucus held to select candidates for political office?

Yes ☒ No ☐

If yes, furnish the following information:

Short Form Registrant	Date	Recipient	Federal Candidates	National Party Committees	Federal PACs	State/Local Candidates	State/Local PACs	Foreign Elections
Robert J. Dole	11/3/2011	Adrian Smith for Congress	\$500					
Robert J. Dole	11/9/2011	Dold for Congress	\$500					
Robert J. Dole	11/21/2011	Jeff Flake for U.S. Senate, Inc.	\$1,000					
Robert J. Dole	12/5/2011	Morris for Senate				\$1,000		
Robert J. Dole	12/6/2011	Kansans for Huelskamp	\$500					
Robert J. Dole	2/14/2012	Friends of Dick Lugar	\$1,000					
Robert J. Dole	2/27/2012	Boehner for Speaker	\$5,000					
Robert J. Dole	3/22/2012	Rick Berg for Senate	\$1,000					
Robert J. Dole	3/23/2012	Pete for Senate	\$2,500					
Robert C. Jones	12/14/2011	Menendez for Senate	\$1,000					
Robert C. Jones	1/12/2012	Friends of Mark Warner	\$250					
Robert C. Jones	2/24/2012	Friends of Dan Maffei	\$500					
Robert C. Jones	Bi-Monthly Payroll Deduction	Alston & Bird PAC			\$2,500			
Thomas E. Crocker	1/26/2012	Romney for President	\$1,000					
Thomas E. Crocker	2/27/2012	Romney for President	\$1,500					
Thomas E. Crocker	4/6/2012	George Allen for Senate	\$500					
Marshall Harris	2/6/2012	Mitt Romney for President	\$250					

Marshall Harris	3/26/2012	Patrick Murray for Congress	\$250					
Alston & Bird PAC	11/09/2011	McCaskill for Missouri	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	11/11/2011	Friends of Roy Blunt	\$3,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	11/15/2011	Olson for Congress	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	11/16/2011	Dold for Congress	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	11/17/2011	Friends of Lois Capps	\$1,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	11/29/2011	Casey for Senate	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	11/29/2011	Bob Corker for Senate	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	12/06/2011	Berkley for Senate	\$1,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	12/08/2011	McNerney for Congress	\$2,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	12/13/2011	Friends of Mary Landrieu	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	12/13/2011	Kansans for Huelskamp	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	12/13/2011	Menendez for Senate	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	1/18/2012	John D. Dingell for Congress	\$500					
Alston & Bird PAC	1/18/2012	John D. Dingell for Congress	\$1,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	1/20/2012	Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee		\$15,000				
Alston & Bird PAC	1/20/2012	Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee		\$15,000				
Alston & Bird PAC	1/20/2012	National Republican Congressional Committee		\$15,000				
Alston & Bird PAC	1/20/2012	National Republican Senatorial Committee		\$15,000				
Alston & Bird PAC	1/26/2012	Texans for Lamar Smith	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	1/26/2012	Texans for Lamar Smith	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/06/2012	Hoyer for Congress	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/06/2012	Manchin for West Virginia	\$1,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/14/2012	Blumenthal for Senate	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/23/2012	Dutch Ruppersberger for Congress Committee	\$1,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Allen West for Congress	\$5,000					

Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Allen West for Congress	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Bass Victory Committee	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Bass Victory Committee	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Friends of Erik Paulsen	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Friends of Erik Paulsen	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Latham for Congress	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Latham for Congress	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Pat Meehan for Congress	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	2/24/2012	Pat Meehan for Congress	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	3/08/2012	Friends of Mark Warner	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	3/12/2012	Garamendi for Congress	\$500					
Alston & Bird PAC	3/14/2012	Friends of Mazie Hirono	\$5,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	3/14/2012	Womack for Congress	\$2,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	3/22/2012	Bill Nelson for U.S. Senate	\$1945					
Alston & Bird PAC	3/22/2012	Cantor for Congress	\$2,500					
Alston & Bird PAC	3/23/2012	Citizens for Eleanor Holmes Norton	\$1,000					
Alston & Bird PAC	4/16/2012	Next Century Fund			\$1,000			
Alston & Bird PAC	4/30/2012	DeFazio for Congress	\$500					